

$\Delta(1950)$ F_{37}

$I(J^P) = \frac{3}{2}(\frac{7}{2}^+)$ Status: ***

Most of the results published before 1975 were last included in our 1982 edition, Physics Letters **111B** 1 (1982). Some further obsolete results published before 1980 were last included in our 2006 edition, Journal of Physics, G **33** 1 (2006).

$\Delta(1950)$ BREIT-WIGNER MASS

VALUE (MeV)	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT
1915 to 1950 (\approx 1930) OUR ESTIMATE			
1921.3 \pm 0.2	ARNDT 06	DPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N, \eta N$
1945 \pm 2	MANLEY 92	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N & N\pi\pi$
1950 \pm 15	CUTKOSKY 80	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$
1913 \pm 8	HOEHLER 79	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$
• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •			
1923.3 \pm 0.5	ARNDT 04	DPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N, \eta N$
1936 \pm 5	VRANA 00	DPWA	Multichannel
1947 \pm 9	ARNDT 96	IPWA	$\gamma N \rightarrow \pi N$
1921	ARNDT 95	DPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow N\pi$
1940	LI 93	IPWA	$\gamma N \rightarrow \pi N$
1925 \pm 20	CANDLIN 84	DPWA	$\pi^+ p \rightarrow \Sigma^+ K^+$
1855.0 $^{+11.0}_{-10.0}$	CHEW 80	BPWA	$\pi^+ p \rightarrow \pi^+ p$
1902	CRAWFORD 80	DPWA	$\gamma N \rightarrow \pi N$
1925	¹ LONGACRE 75	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow N\pi\pi$

$\Delta(1950)$ BREIT-WIGNER WIDTH

VALUE (MeV)	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT
235 to 335 (\approx 285) OUR ESTIMATE			
271.1 \pm 1.1	ARNDT 06	DPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N, \eta N$
300 \pm 7	MANLEY 92	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N & N\pi\pi$
340 \pm 50	CUTKOSKY 80	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$
224 \pm 10	HOEHLER 79	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$
• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •			
278.2 \pm 3.0	ARNDT 04	DPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N, \eta N$
245 \pm 12	VRANA 00	DPWA	Multichannel
302 \pm 9	ARNDT 96	IPWA	$\gamma N \rightarrow \pi N$
232	ARNDT 95	DPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow N\pi$
306	LI 93	IPWA	$\gamma N \rightarrow \pi N$
330 \pm 40	CANDLIN 84	DPWA	$\pi^+ p \rightarrow \Sigma^+ K^+$
157.2 $^{+22.0}_{-19.0}$	CHEW 80	BPWA	$\pi^+ p \rightarrow \pi^+ p$
225	CRAWFORD 80	DPWA	$\gamma N \rightarrow \pi N$
240	¹ LONGACRE 75	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow N\pi\pi$

$\Delta(1950)$ POLE POSITION

REAL PART

VALUE (MeV)	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT
1870 to 1890 (≈ 1880) OUR ESTIMATE			
1876	ARNDT 06	DPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N, \eta N$
1878	² HOEHLER 93	ARGD	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$
1890 ± 15	CUTKOSKY 80	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$
• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •			
1874	ARNDT 04	DPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N, \eta N$
1910	VRANA 00	DPWA	Multichannel
1880	ARNDT 95	DPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow N\pi$
1884	ARNDT 91	DPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$ Soln SM90
1924 or 1924	³ LONGACRE 78	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow N\pi\pi$

-2xIMAGINARY PART

VALUE (MeV)	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT
220 to 260 (≈ 240) OUR ESTIMATE			
227	ARNDT 06	DPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N, \eta N$
230	² HOEHLER 93	ARGD	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$
260 ± 40	CUTKOSKY 80	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$
• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •			
236	ARNDT 04	DPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N, \eta N$
230	VRANA 00	DPWA	Multichannel
236	ARNDT 95	DPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow N\pi$
238	ARNDT 91	DPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$ Soln SM90
258 or 258	³ LONGACRE 78	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow N\pi\pi$

$\Delta(1950)$ ELASTIC POLE RESIDUE

MODULUS $|r|$

VALUE (MeV)	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT
53	ARNDT 06	DPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N, \eta N$
47	HOEHLER 93	ARGD	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$
50 ± 7	CUTKOSKY 80	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$
• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •			
57	ARNDT 04	DPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N, \eta N$
54	ARNDT 95	DPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow N\pi$
61	ARNDT 91	DPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$ Soln SM90

PHASE θ

VALUE (°)	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT
-31	ARNDT 06	DPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N, \eta N$
-32	HOEHLER 93	ARGD	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$
-33 ± 8	CUTKOSKY 80	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$
• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •			
-34	ARNDT 04	DPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N, \eta N$
-17	ARNDT 95	DPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow N\pi$
-23	ARNDT 91	DPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$ Soln SM90

$\Delta(1950)$ DECAY MODES

The following branching fractions are our estimates, not fits or averages.

Mode	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)
$\Gamma_1 N\pi$	0.35 to 0.45
$\Gamma_2 \Sigma K$	
$\Gamma_3 N\pi\pi$	
$\Gamma_4 \Delta\pi$	20–30 %
$\Gamma_5 \Delta(1232)\pi$, <i>F</i> -wave	
$\Gamma_6 \Delta(1232)\pi$, <i>H</i> -wave	
$\Gamma_7 N\rho$	<10 %
$\Gamma_8 N\rho$, <i>S</i> =1/2, <i>F</i> -wave	
$\Gamma_9 N\rho$, <i>S</i> =3/2, <i>F</i> -wave	
$\Gamma_{10} N\gamma$	0.08–0.13 %
$\Gamma_{11} N\gamma$, helicity=1/2	0.03–0.055 %
$\Gamma_{12} N\gamma$, helicity=3/2	0.05–0.075 %

$\Delta(1950)$ BRANCHING RATIOS

$\Gamma(N\pi)/\Gamma_{\text{total}}$

VALUE	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT	Γ_1/Γ
0.35 to 0.45 OUR ESTIMATE				
0.471±0.001	ARNDT 06	DPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N, \eta N$	
0.38 ± 0.01	MANLEY 92	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N & N\pi\pi$	
0.39 ± 0.04	CUTKOSKY 80	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$	
0.38 ± 0.02	HOEHLER 79	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$	
• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •				
0.480±0.002	ARNDT 04	DPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N, \eta N$	
0.44 ± 0.01	VRANA 00	DPWA	Multichannel	
0.49	ARNDT 95	DPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow N\pi$	
0.44	CHEW 80	BPWA	$\pi^+ p \rightarrow \pi^+ p$	

$(\Gamma_i\Gamma_f)^{1/2}/\Gamma_{\text{total}}$ in $N\pi \rightarrow \Delta(1950) \rightarrow \Sigma K$

VALUE	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT	$(\Gamma_1\Gamma_2)^{1/2}/\Gamma$
−0.053±0.005	CANDLIN 84	DPWA	$\pi^+ p \rightarrow \Sigma^+ K^+$	

Note: Signs of couplings from $\pi N \rightarrow N\pi\pi$ analyses were changed in the 1986 edition to agree with the baryon-first convention; the overall phase ambiguity is resolved by choosing a negative sign for the $\Delta(1620) S_{31}$ coupling to $\Delta(1232)\pi$.

$(\Gamma_i\Gamma_f)^{1/2}/\Gamma_{\text{total}}$ in $N\pi \rightarrow \Delta(1950) \rightarrow \Delta(1232)\pi$, *F*-wave

VALUE	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT	$(\Gamma_1\Gamma_5)^{1/2}/\Gamma$
+0.28 to +0.32 OUR ESTIMATE				
+0.27±0.02	MANLEY 92	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N & N\pi\pi$	
+0.32	¹ LONGACRE 75	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow N\pi\pi$	

$\Gamma(\Delta(1232)\pi, F\text{-wave})/\Gamma_{\text{total}}$

Γ_5/Γ

VALUE	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT
0.36±0.01	VRANA 00	DPWA	Multichannel

$$(\Gamma_f/\Gamma_f)^{1/2}/\Gamma_{\text{total}} \text{ in } N\pi \rightarrow \Delta(1950) \rightarrow N\rho, S=3/2, F\text{-wave} \quad (\Gamma_1\Gamma_9)^{1/2}/\Gamma$$

VALUE	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT
+0.24	¹ LONGACRE 75	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow N\pi\pi$

$\Delta(1950)$ PHOTON DECAY AMPLITUDES

$\Delta(1950) \rightarrow N\gamma$, helicity-1/2 amplitude $A_{1/2}$

VALUE (GeV $^{-1/2}$)	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT
-0.076±0.012 OUR ESTIMATE			
-0.079±0.006	ARNDT 96	IPWA	$\gamma N \rightarrow \pi N$
-0.068±0.007	AWAJI 81	DPWA	$\gamma N \rightarrow \pi N$
-0.091±0.005	ARAI 80	DPWA	$\gamma N \rightarrow \pi N$ (fit 1)
-0.083±0.005	ARAI 80	DPWA	$\gamma N \rightarrow \pi N$ (fit 2)
-0.067±0.014	CRAWFORD 80	DPWA	$\gamma N \rightarrow \pi N$
• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •			
-0.102±0.003	LI 93	IPWA	$\gamma N \rightarrow \pi N$

$\Delta(1950) \rightarrow N\gamma$, helicity-3/2 amplitude $A_{3/2}$

VALUE (GeV $^{-1/2}$)	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT
-0.097±0.010 OUR ESTIMATE			
-0.103±0.006	ARNDT 96	IPWA	$\gamma N \rightarrow \pi N$
-0.094±0.016	AWAJI 81	DPWA	$\gamma N \rightarrow \pi N$
-0.101±0.005	ARAI 80	DPWA	$\gamma N \rightarrow \pi N$ (fit 1)
-0.100±0.005	ARAI 80	DPWA	$\gamma N \rightarrow \pi N$ (fit 2)
-0.082±0.017	CRAWFORD 80	DPWA	$\gamma N \rightarrow \pi N$
• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •			
-0.115±0.003	LI 93	IPWA	$\gamma N \rightarrow \pi N$

$\Delta(1950)$ FOOTNOTES

¹ From method II of LONGACRE 75: eyeball fits with Breit-Wigner circles to the T-matrix amplitudes.

² See HOEHLER 93 for a detailed discussion of the evidence for and the pole parameters of N and Δ resonances as determined from Argand diagrams of πN elastic partial-wave amplitudes and from plots of the speeds with which the amplitudes traverse the diagrams.

³ LONGACRE 78 values are from a search for poles in the unitarized T-matrix. The first (second) value uses, in addition to $\pi N \rightarrow N\pi\pi$ data, elastic amplitudes from a Saclay (CERN) partial-wave analysis.

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ARNDT	04	PR C69 035213	R.A. Arndt <i>et al.</i>	(GWU, TRIU)
VRANA	00	PRPL 32B 181	T.P. Vrana, S.A. Dytman,, T.-S.H. Lee	(PITT+)
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LI	93	PR C47 2759	Z.J. Li <i>et al.</i>	(VPI)
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